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Kay Fulton, director of Student Development, speaks on the topic of substance abuse during the National Academy's workshop, "Strategies in Health Education for Deaf Consumers." Health education professionals participated in the workshop.

Recognition lunch honors employees

Thirty Physical Plant employees, each with more than 10 years of service to Gallaudet, were honored during a recent luncheon at "Ole Jim." The employees, with up to 38 years of service, were honored as part of a general employee recognition effort in the Physical Plant Department, explained Howard Cihak, director of the department.

According to Cihak, the 30 employees honored last month have a total of 499 years of service to the College.

Cihak told the group at the luncheon that there was good reason to recognize each individual. Speaking of employees in terms of investment, Cihak said that an employer makes little profit during a worker's first year since that year is spent learning the job.

The employer breaks even on his investment the second year an employee

is on the job, he said, "if the employee has learned his job reasonably well."

"Thereafter, you realize a return on your investment," Cihak continued. "This group represents some of the best investments Gallaudet has ever made."

Gallaudet President Jerry Lee also addressed the group, expressing his appreciation for their work. Framed certificates of service were then presented to those persons with 10, 15, 20 and 25 years of service to the College.

Mattie Shell, who has worked at Gallaudet since October 1946, received a standing ovation at the luncheon. With the retirement of Leon Auerbach this month, Shell becomes the Gallaudet employee with the most years of service. She is a supervisor in Custodial Services.

Employees offered grant assistance

The Office of Development—which coordinates campus-wide efforts to raise funds from private sources—invites interested faculty and staff members to discuss grant project ideas. Many foundations award grants in the last quarter of the year and the summer is a good time to prepare proposals for fall submission.

Recent grants have been awarded for the following projects: \$5,000 for a graduate teaching assistant for the Gallaudet Dancers; \$19,800 for employer training and expanding student placements at Experiential Programs Off Campus; \$10,000 for staff and equipment for the Community Counseling Service for the Hearing Impaired; \$13,000 for science laboratory equipment at the Northwest Campus; \$44,250 for audio-logical equipment and \$25,000 for

books and audiovisual equipment at the Northwest Campus.

Anyone with an idea for a new project, in need of funds to expand an existing project or interested in creating opportunities for a faculty development program should call Susan Dankoff Menick at x5410.

The Development Office staff will help identify prospective grantors and assist persons in focusing ideas in a proposal format.

No OTG July 16

On the Green will not be published on Monday, July 16. Publication will resume on July 23. Information for publication in that issue should be submitted to the Alumni and Public Relations Office by July 13.

Workshop explores health education

Sixty persons working in the field of health education participated in a recent workshop at Gallaudet which focused on ways in which health education programs and material can be made accessible to deaf adults and children.

Participants—school nurses, health educators in schools and communities and other health professionals—came from around the nation to attend the June 24-27 workshop, "Strategies in Health Education for Deaf Consumers."

Sponsored by the National Academy, the workshop brought together for the first time health education professionals who provided information on deafness and presented sessions that showed how to teach deaf consumers subjects such as cardiopulmonary resuscitation, stress management, nutrition, wellness, sex education, sexual assault and substance abuse.

While hearing persons learn a great deal about health and health issues through informal interaction with family members or from television and radio, deaf persons often have "gaps in health knowledge" because of their limited exposure to that kind of incidental health information, explained Maureen Durkin, a training specialist with the National Academy and coordinator of the workshop.

"Hearing children can listen to their parents talking about different illnesses and treatments and internalize that information," Durkin said. "Deaf children, who often have limited communication with hearing parents, receive minimal information and generalized vocabulary. For example, 'You have pneumonia and need penicillin' versus 'You are sick and will take medicine.'"

In addition, Durkin said, health educators often are not trained to communicate with deaf consumers or to write,

design or adapt health education materials for deaf persons.

The workshop sought to help rectify that situation, with lectures and skill development activities designed to illustrate how to develop or adapt such materials for deaf consumers.

Models for successful programs now in operation were examined and resources on specific health topics presented. Participants exchanged with one another resource materials on a wide variety of health topics.

Sessions explaining how to teach health subjects to deaf persons were led by faculty members from Gallaudet, MSSD, KDES, the National Technical

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SEHS awarded three grants for over \$150,000

The School of Education and Human Services (SEHS) was recently awarded three grants from the United States Department of Education for the training of education personnel. The three grants total more than \$150,000 for the first year of their three-year cycles.

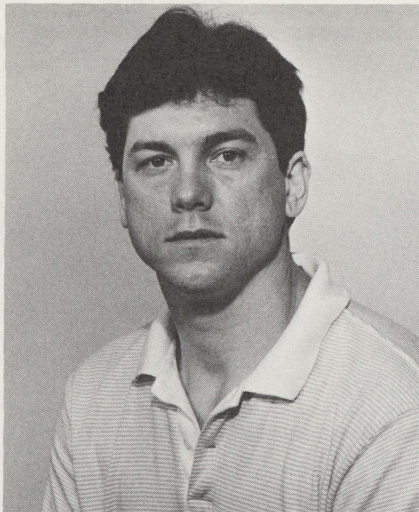
The Department of Education in SEHS received \$74,721 to be used through next June for the support of a graduate degree program for the preparation of parent-infant education specialists. Barbara Bodner-Johnson and Tom Jones of the Department of Education submitted the grant proposal and will serve as project directors.

The Department of Counseling was awarded a \$35,765 grant for the year beginning June 1. The grant money will be used for the training of school coun-

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Gil and June Eastman of Gallaudet and Betty Hicks of the Maryland School for the Deaf helping out during the dress rehearsal held on campus, for contestants in the Miss Deaf America pageant. The pageant was held during the National Association of the Deaf convention in Baltimore, MD.



Mike Jackson

Football team gets new coach

Mike Jackson, a lithographer in the Print Shop and a 1980 graduate of Gallaudet, has been selected as the new head football coach for the Bison.

A linesman during his College years with the Bison, Jackson replaces Ken Kramer, who resigned because of a job transfer to Indianapolis, IN. Jackson served as an assistant football coach last year.

He is now searching for several assistant coaches—particularly an offensive back and defensive back coach. Anyone with football knowledge and sign language skills interested in being an assistant coach should contact Jackson at the Print Shop.

Football practice will begin at the end of August. The first game of the season will be played against Ferrum Junior College of Virginia on Friday, Sept. 23. The game will be played at Anne Arundel Community College in Maryland.

Worth noting

- Volunteers are needed to help during tryouts for the World Games for the Deaf, set for July 18-21 at Gallaudet. Interested persons should contact Al Couthen at x5257 for more information.
- The Gallaudet Dancers will perform an environmental improvisation at the National Gallery of Art July 12 at 3:45 p.m. Inspired by an exhibit of David Smith's sculpture, the performance will be directed by Ellen Gold.



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Among Ourselves

Kenneth B. Tiktin, principal of KDES, has been appointed coordinator of the Political Action Network and chair of the Legislative Committee for the Division of Children with Communication Disorders, units of the Council for Exceptional Children. In this new position, he will be closely associated with the Council's national headquarters and will serve on its governmental relations unit. He will be included in delegations involved with various congressional meetings, including those concerning reauthorization of a Vocational Education Act, the Education for Gifted and Talented Children and Youth Improvement Act of 1984, proposed Civil Rights Act of 1984 and the recommended appropriations for the education of the handicapped. He will be leaving KDES at the end of this school year to take a position with the Department of Communication Arts at the College.

Nancy Kensicki, professor of English, spoke to English specialists at the National Technical Institute for the Deaf in Rochester, NY, on April 19. She was invited by the NTID Department of Communication Instruction to describe the Gallaudet English Department's programs and testing procedures and to present the ASL-English videotape project directed by Catherine Kalbacher of the English Department. Kensicki also discussed *Teaching English to Deaf and Second Language Students*, a journal printed by the English Department, and asked for contributions to the journal from the NTID faculty.

A paper prepared by John Scott, director of Marketing and Program Development for College Educational Resources, titled, "Cable Television: Uses by and for Handicapped Persons" has been published by the Institute for District Affairs of the District of Columbia and the D.C. Cable Coalition in their recently released book, "Cable Television: An Assessment of Critical Issues in Washington, D.C." The project was funded by a grant from the D.C. Community Humanities Council, an affiliate of the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Education grants

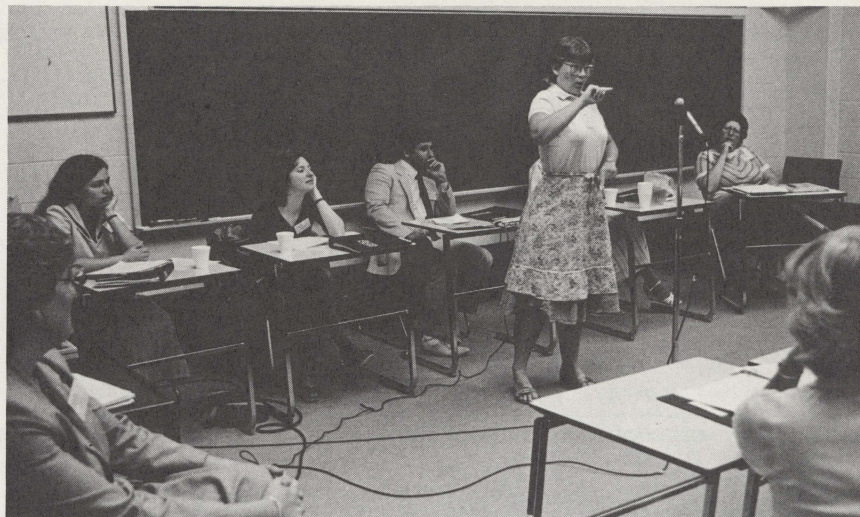
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selors for hearing impaired students. Frank Ziezula, department chair, will serve as the project director.

The Department of Administration and Supervision received the third grant, with \$30,718 allocated for the first year. Those funds are targeted for the training of special education supervisors. Frank Duffy, coordinator of the supervision program in the Department of Administration, will act as project director.

In the last year, the School of Education and Human Services has applied for 14 grants and been awarded 13, with one grant still pending. The 13 grants total \$417,414 for the first year.

The School of Education and Human Services has received \$1,793,116 in grants and contracts from outside sources over the last four years.



Morag Paget, a nurse from Connecticut, asks a question during a panel discussion at the health strategies workshop. Serving on the panel were Fern Reisinger, Holly Goodling-Bell, Susan Searles, Marty Minter and Lizabeth Katz.

Health strategies workshop offered

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Institute for the Deaf and community-based organizations.

Feedback from participants was positive, Durkin said, noting that the program's objectives had successfully been met. Those objectives included identifying special problems and needs in health education for deaf persons, identifying current projects and programs in specific health education topics

relevant to the needs of deaf people and implementing instructional, organizational and formatting techniques for increasing the effectiveness of health education materials designed for deaf persons.

Serving with Durkin on the workshop planning committee were Regina Cassidy, Judy Coryell, Jan Kemper and Brenda Thaxton. Terri Baker served as logistics coordinator for the workshop.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE: '72 MGB-GT. 79,000 original miles. All service records since new. Very dependable, \$1,795. Call 262-9224 TDD/voice.

FOR SALE: '73 Toyota Celica, exc. cond., original owner, 62,000 mi., repainted about 4 yrs. ago, radials & snow tires, \$1,999. Call Susan Menick at x5410 V/TDD or 229-1443 voice, before 10 p.m.

MOBILE HOME FOR RENT: in Swan Keys, Fenwick Is., Delaware, near Ocean City. Has everything such as kitchen, LR, 2 br., can sleep 6 people, \$35/night. Call Beth or Dwight at 498-4521.

FOR SALE: 2 rugs (9x11 & 10x13, both brown. 1 upholstered sofa w/wooden arms (brown & white plaid). 1 leather-look love-seat (dark brown). Must sell. Call evenings at 277-7332, voice only.

FOR SALE: Rambler, brick, 3 br., full bath, LR, frplc., L-shaped DR, newly remodeled kitchen, table space, sink w/veg. spray, 3 lazy susan corner cabinets, util. room, A/C, 2 sheds in back yd., new roof, ideal location in Arlington, VA. Equipped w/TTY & light system, \$115,000. Call Edith Roberts at (202) 362-5300 or at home (703) 979-2180, both voice.

HELP WANTED: 1 or 2 young people to help w/yard work in Cheverly. Call Mark at 772-3288 voice or leave msg. at x5387 TDD.

ROOMMATE WANTED: Nice & spacious apt. in Greenbelt. Can move in ASAP. Call Adele for details at 474-0012 TDD.

FOR SALE: Toyota 1980 Corolla SR5 Sport Coupe, yellow, exc. cond., A/C, cloth seats, carpeting, 81,000 mi. New battery, brakes & tires. \$3,500. Call Howard at x5231.

Jobs Available

Some of the advertised staff positions may already be filled. For updated information, call the JOB RECORDING in the Personnel Office, x5514 or x5520 TDD.

SECRETARIAL POSITIONS: Contact Personnel for listing.

APPLICATIONS PROGRAMMERS: Computer Services

CAMPUS POLICE OFFICER: Safety and Security

SURVEY ARCHIVIST: Library (Grant Position)

STAFF PHYSICIAN: Student Health Service

COACH-WOMEN'S VARSITY VOLLEYBALL: Dept. of Physical Educ. & Athletics, c/o Kitty Baldrige.

DISPATCHER: Safety and Security

MANAGER, ACADEMIC APPLICATIONS: Computer Services

MANAGER, NETWORKS AND COMMUNICATIONS: Computer Services

REGISTERED NURSE: Student Health Service

RESIDENT ADVISOR: MSSD Student Life
PARENT EDUCATION DIRECTOR: Continuing Education

TUTORIAL SPECIALIST/SUPERVISOR: Tutorial Center

STAFF PSYCHOLOGIST: Counseling and Placement Center

VOCATIONAL EVALUATOR: MSSD

PSYCHOLOGY INTERN: MSSD (1 yr.)

ART INSTRUCTORS: MSSD

SPEECH PATHOLOGIST: MSSD

INDUSTRIAL ARTS TEACHERS: MSSD

INSTRUCTOR/MATERIALS SPECIALIST: Cued Speech

LEARNING RESOURCES CENTER ASSISTANT: MSSD

FINISHER I: Physical Plant Maintenance Services

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COORDINATOR, VISITORS CENTER: National Information Center on Deafness

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